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MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES (as amended)

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure imposed by 37 CFR § 1.56 to inform the Patent Office of all references coming to the attention of Applicant or Attorneys for Applicant which are or may be material to the patentability of any claim of the subject application, Attorneys for Applicant hereby direct the Examiner's attention to the references listed on the attached revised form PTO 1449. Copies of these references are submitted herewith.

REMARKS

Identification of the listed references is not to be construed as an admission of Applicant or Attorneys for Applicant that such references are available as "prior art" against the subject application. Consequently, Applicant respectfully declines to use form PTO-1449, since this form identifies all of the references cited therein as "Prior Art." As an

alternative, Applicant submits herewith a "revised form PTO 1449" entitled "List of References Cited" instead of "List of Prior Art Cited."

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review the foregoing references and that the references be made of record in the file history of the application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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